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## REPLY AND AMENDMENT PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.111 & 1.121

## Assistant Commissioner:

Please amend the application as follows:

## In the Specification:

Please add the following new section between the Title and the Technical Field:

-- CROSS REFERENCE TO RELATED APPLICATIONS

This application is a continuation-in-part of Serial No. 08/625,101, filed April 1, 1996, issued as U.S. Patent No. 5,869,445, and also claims benefit to provisional application 60/048,406, filed June 3,1997, now abandoned. --

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## TRANSMITTAL LETTER

**Assistant Commissioner:** 

Further to the Reply and Amendment submitted on June 5, 2000, please find enclosed a Supplemental Declaration executed by the inventors for the above-identified application.

Respectfully submitted,

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Supplemental Declaration

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